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By ECF

The Honorable Roslynn R. Mauskopf United States District Court Eastern District of New York 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: United States v. Choudry Khalil

Criminal Docket 13-386 (S-3) (RRM)

Dear Judge Mauskopf:

The government respectfully responds to the Court's Order dated April 25, 2015 directing the parties to address any <u>Apprendi</u> issues associated with Counts Six and Eight of the Superseding Indictment.

The government agrees that the jury must find, upon any determination of guilt, that the offense alleged in Count Six involved "a false identification document that is or appears to be . . . a driver's license," so that the enhanced statutory maximum penalty of 15 years may apply. 18 U.S.C. § 1028(b)(1)(A)(ii). In contrast, with respect to Count Eight, which specifically alleges the transfer of a fraudulent driver's license, the Superseding Indictment does not reference the 15-year penalty provision. Accordingly, the base penalty

of 5 years applies to any determination of guilt, and it is unnecessary for the jury to make any <u>Apprendi</u> findings with respect to this count. As directed by the Court, a revised verdict sheet and revised jury instructions are attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures

cc: Clerk of Court (RRM) (by ECF) Gerald J. McMahon, Esq. (by ECF)